

**Pataula Charter Academy and  
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Unlawful Conduct toward School Personnel Policy**

**Purpose:**

The purpose of this policy is to ensure that Pataula Charter Academy (PCA) and Spring Creek Charter Academy (SCCA) enforce the provisions of state law as related to unlawful conduct toward school personnel on the school's main campus as well as any other property that counts as an extension of the campus such as bus stops and other places where school sponsored events are being hosted.

**Definitions:**

The School – For the purposes of this policy “The School” shall include the main campus or any property that is considered an extension of the grounds of the school including bus stops and other places where school sponsored or school related activities or events are being hosted.

**Policy Statement:**

PCA/SCCA will take every step appropriate to ensure the safety of its students, teachers, staff, and school administration. As such, PCA/SCCA shall enforce the following regarding unlawful conduct toward school personnel:

In accordance with state law O.C.G.A 20-2-1182 any individual at the school who has been advised that minors are present and who continues to upbraid, insult, or abuse any staff member, teacher, or administrator in the presence of and hearing of a student while on the premises of the school, may be ordered to stop such behavior or to leave the premises by the school personnel. If the individual fails to willingly discontinue his or her behavior and/or leave the premises, a school administrator should notify the appropriate law enforcement agency, and such individuals may have their visitation privileges restricted and/or may be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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